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Examining Group 1754
Application No: 10/717,855
Amendment dated December 7, 2005
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/717,855
Applicants : Teruhiko Nawata et al.
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Title : **AS-GROWN SINGLE CRYSTAL OF CALCIUM FLUORIDE**
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 7, 2005, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

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